

H. B. No. 327, A bill to be entitled "An Act appropriating five million dollars (\$5,000,000) per year, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the next biennium beginning September 1, 1935, and ending August 31, 1937, for the purpose of promoting public school interest and equalizing the educational opportunities afforded by the State to all children of scholastic age within the State, including sufficient funds to match Federal funds appropriated for the purpose of conducting vocational agriculture, home economics, trades and industries, general rehabilitation and rehabilitation for crippled children; attaching conditions, regulations, and limitations relative thereto, etc., and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly engrossed.

HODGES, Chairman.

#### REPORTS OF THE COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS

Committee Room,  
Austin, Texas, March 27, 1935.

Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 519, "An Act making an appropriation of six thousand five hundred dollars (\$6,500) to be used by the Secretary of State in paying the unpaid portion of the publication cost of certain constitutional amendments; one thousand five hundred dollars (\$1,500) for postage and contingent to be used by the Secretary of State; five thousand dollars (\$5,000) for the Secretary of State's office to be used for compiling, editing, printing, indexing, and distributing the General and Special Laws and for the distribution of the Journals of the Forty-fourth Legislature; also appropriating the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500) to be used by the State Industrial Accident Board to supplement traveling expenses; also appropriating the sum of nine hundred dollars (\$900) to be used by the State Department of Agriculture to pay salary and expenses of a weight inspector, and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly enrolled.

ROANE, Vice-Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, March 27, 1935.

Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 569, "An Act authorizing the commissioners court in the county or counties containing twenty-two thousand two hundred and ninety-six (22,296) and not more than twenty-two thousand five hundred and eighty (22,580) inhabitants, according to the last Federal Census, to purchase out of certain funds of the county, not to exceed seven hundred and fifty dollars (\$750), one truck or pick-up for each commissioner precinct to be used in said precinct in the official duty of commissioner or commissioners, providing that said truck or pick-up shall not be used by commissioner, commissioners, or anyone else for personal business or pleasure trips, and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly enrolled.

ATCHISON, Chairman.

#### FORTY-FIRST DAY

(Thursday, March 28, 1935)

The House met at 10 o'clock a. m., pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by Hon. R. Emmett Morse.

The roll was called, and the following members were present:

Adamson	Colquitt
Adkins	Colson
Aikin	Cooper
Alexander	Cowley
Alsup	Craddock
Ash	Crossley
Atchison	Daniel
Beck	Davis
Bergman	Davison of Fisher
Bradbury	Davisson
Bradford	of Eastland
Broyles	Dickison
Burton	Dunagan
Butler of Brazos	Dunlap of Hays
Butler of Karnes	Dunlap of Kleberg
Cagle	Duvall
Caldwell	Dwyer
Calvert	England
Canon	Fain
Celaya	Farmer
Clayton	Fisher
Collins	Fitzwater

Ford	McFarland
Fox	McKee
Frazer	McKinney
Fuchs	Moffett
Gibson	Moore
Glass	Morris
Good	Morrison
Graves	Morse
Gray	Newton
Greathouse	Nicholson
Hankamer	Olsen
Hanna	Padgett
Hardin	Palmer
Harris of Archer	Patterson
Harris of Dallas	Payne
Hartzog	Petsch
Head	Pope
Herzik	Quinn
Hill	Reed of Bowie
Hodges	Reed of Dallas
Hofheinz	Riddle
Holland	Roach of Angelina
Hoskins	Roane
Howard	Roark
Huddleston	Roberts
Hunt	Rogers
Hunter	Russell
Hyder	Rutta
Jackson	Scarborough
James	Settle
Jefferson	Shofner
Jones of Atascosa	Smith
Jones of Falls	Spears
Jones of Runnels	Stanfield
Jones of Shelby	Steward
Jones of Wise	Stinson
Keefe	Stovall
King	Tarwater
Knetsch	Tennyson
Lange	Thornton
Lanning	Tillery
Latham	Venable
Leath	Waggoner
Lemens	Walker
Leonard	Wells
Lindsey	Westfall
Lotief	Wood of Harrison
Lucas	Wood of Montague
Luker	Worley
Mauritz	Young
McCalla	Youngblood
McConnell	

## Absent—Excused

Bourne  
Reader

Roach of Hunt

A quorum was announced present.

Rev. Geo. W. Coltrin, Chaplain, offered the following invocation:

"Almighty God, help us to see Thee in Thy blessings, which are on every hand continually. In the strenuous duties which devolve upon us, be Thou with us to lead and to bless, that we may be wise in our ways

and fruitful of good in our efforts. For Christ's sake. Amen."

## COMMUNICATION FROM HON. COKE R. STEVENSON

The Chair laid before the House, and had read, the following communication:

Austin, Texas, March 27, 1935.

Mrs. Louise Snow Phinney, Chief Clerk, House of Representatives, Austin, Texas.

Dear Madam: By the authority vested in me under Rule I, Section 10, of the Rules of the House of Representatives, Honorable R. Emmett Morse of Harris County is hereby appointed to preside during my absence.

COKE R. STEVENSON,  
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

## LEAVES OF ABSENCE GRANTED

The following members were granted leaves of absence on account of important business:

Mr. Bourne for today, on motion of Mr. Walker.

Mr. Roach of Hunt for today, on motion of Mr. Hunt.

## HOUSE BILLS ON FIRST READING

The following House bills, introduced today, were laid before the House, read severally first time, and referred to the appropriate committees, as follows:

By Mr. Lindsey:

H. B. No. 868, A bill to be entitled "An Act to promote the production of better eggs in the State of Texas by regulating the traffic in eggs; to prevent fraud and misrepresentation in dealing in eggs; to prevent the sale of eggs for human consumption which are unfit for human food; to require eggs to be candled; and require a license for dealers in eggs, etc., and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Agriculture.

By Mrs. Moore:

H. B. No. 869, A bill to be entitled "An Act to repeal Senate Bill No. 215, Chapter 47, Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty-second Legislature, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on State Eleemosynary and Reformatory Institutions.

By Mr. Hankamer, Mr. Payne, Mr. Clayton, Mr. Jackson, Mr. Bradford, and Mr. Fisher:

H. B. No. 870, A bill to be entitled "An Act making an appropriation to reimburse growers and producers of cotton for expenses incurred during the years of 1933 through 1935 by reason of the establishment by the State of Texas of regulations requiring such growers and producers to pay for sterilization of cotton seed, and also to pay expenses of the Compensation Claim Board in carrying out the provisions of this Act; etc., and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. James:

H. B. No. 871, A bill to be entitled "An Act making it unlawful for any person to kill, take, or have in his possession for barter or sale within a period of ten years of the passage of this Act any wild fox or the pelt thereof in Lee County, Texas, and providing exceptions; providing a penalty, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Game and Fisheries.

By Mr. Morse, Mr. Hankamer, Mr. Young, and Mr. Celaya:

H. B. No. 872, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Articles 634 and 637, Penal Code of Texas, 1925, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence.

By Mr. Hill:

H. B. No. 873, A bill to be entitled "An Act for the purpose of prohibiting the dredging of oysters in the headwaters of Matagorda Bay east of a line from Palacios Point on the mainland in Matagorda County across Matagorda Bay to Cotton Bayou on the Matagorda peninsula; providing a penalty, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Game and Fisheries.

By Mr. James:

H. B. No. 874, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create a more efficient road law for Lee County, providing for the payment of a tax of \$2.50 by all persons in said county, subject to road duty under the General Laws, or

the performance of certain manual labor on the roads, in the discharge of said road duty; etc., and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Highways and Motor Traffic.

By Mr. McCalla:

H. B. No. 875, A bill to be entitled "An Act imposing an occupation tax on every person, firm or corporation engaging in the business of selling, leasing, bartering, exchanging, or otherwise dealing in or disposing of pistols; defining the word 'pistols'; authorizing counties and municipalities to levy and collect such a tax; providing for the keeping of records of each such transfer or disposal of a pistol; etc., and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence.

By Mr. McCalla:

H. B. No. 876, A bill to be entitled "An Act to be known as Article 1313-a of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, requiring all corporations, domestic and foreign, to file certified copies of their charters in all counties in Texas in which said corporations maintain an office or place of business; repealing all laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Municipal and Private Corporations.

By Mr. McCalla:

H. B. No. 877, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 850, Title 23 of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, revision of 1925, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Labor.

By Mr. McCalla:

H. B. No. 878, A bill to be entitled "An Act to repeal Article 2908, Title 49, of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, revision of 1925, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. McCalla:

H. B. No. 879, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 3152, Title 50, of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, revision of 1925, and to repeal the former amendments of said Article 3152, enacted by House Bill No. 75 of the Acts of the Fortieth Legislature, Chapter 19, and by House Bill No. 457 of the Acts of the Forty-

second Legislature, Chapter 241, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. McCalla:

H. B. No. 880, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 417, Title 16, of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, revision of 1925, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Banks and Banking.

By Mr. McCalla:

H. B. No. 881, A bill to be entitled "An Act to repeal Article 52, Title 4, of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, revision of 1925, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Education.

By Mr. McKinney:

H. B. No. 882, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 9 of House Bill No. 10, Chapter 67, Acts 1930, Fifth Called Session, Forty-first Legislature, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Penitentiaries.

By Mrs. Moore:

H. B. No. 883, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 965, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Municipal and Private Corporations.

By Mr. Jones of Runnels:

H. B. No. 884, A bill to be entitled "An Act to repeal Article 794 of the Penal Code of the State of Texas, revision of 1925; and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence.

By Mr. Stevenson:

H. B. No. 885, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing Real County to issue certain warrants or other evidences of indebtedness and to declare the validity of certain indebtedness arising out of the construction of State Highway No. 41 in the County of Real; etc., and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Highways and Motor Traffic.

By Mr. Gray:

H. B. No. 886, A bill to be entitled "An Act making an appropriation of

fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000), or so much thereof as may be necessary, to construct a building to be used as a permanent home and museum in the Texas Ranger Memorial Park at Santa Anna in Coleman County, Texas, and for the equipment thereof and for the improvement of said park; etc., and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Gibson:

H. B. No. 887, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing the county judge to employ a stenographer or clerk in any county having a population of less than twenty thousand inhabitants according to the last preceding Federal Census, and a property valuation in excess of fifty million dollars according to the approved tax rolls for the preceding calendar year; etc., and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Counties.

By Mr. Payne:

H. B. No. 888, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for the relief of Eagle Pass Independent School District of Maverick County, Texas, in order to aid the school district in accommodating the large growth of population due to the development of Quemado Valley Irrigation Settlement which covers a portion of the Eagle Pass Independent School District of 1934; making appropriation out of the State Treasury of seven thousand dollars (\$7,000) to said district for said purposes, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Bergman:

H. B. No. 889, A bill to be entitled "An Act to fix the salaries and compensation of county commissioners in counties with a population of not less than thirteen thousand, six hundred and thirty-six (13,636) inhabitants nor more than thirteen thousand, six hundred and fifty (13,650) inhabitants according to the last Federal Census, and counties having a population with not less than seventeen thousand, five hundred and fifty-four (17,554) inhabitants, nor more than seventeen thousand, six hundred (17,600) inhabitants according to the last Federal Census as to population, and providing for the manner of the payment of the salaries and the fund from which said salaries shall be paid, and

repealing all laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Counties.

By Mr. Stanfield:

H. B. No. 890, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing any sheriff or other officer sued to recover the possession of slot machines or other devices held by such sheriff under the order of any court directing the destruction of such machines to employ competent attorneys to defend such action, both in trial and appellate courts, providing for the payment of such attorneys by the sheriff; etc., and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence.

By Mr. Stanfield:

H. B. No. 891, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing the appointment of assistant county attorneys in counties containing a population of more than forty thousand (40,000) and less than seventy-five thousand (75,000), and containing a city of more than thirty-five thousand (35,000), such assistants to be compensated by the county, and providing for the compensation of such assistants, and the means, method and manner of paying the same, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Counties.

#### BILL RE-REFERRED

On motion of Mr. Youngblood, House Bill No. 808 was withdrawn from the Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence, and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

#### RELATIVE TO HOUSE BILL NO. 624

By unanimous consent of the House, Mr. Roane was authorized to withdraw his name from House Bill No. 624 as one of the signers thereof.

#### TO PROVIDE FOR CERTAIN INFORMATION DESK

Mr. Patterson offered the following resolution:

H. C. R. No. 64, To provide for general information desk.

Whereas, The State Capitol Building is without any directory service and the various departments of State are scattered throughout the various State buildings and the City of Aus-

tin, and it is almost impossible for anyone to properly locate the various departments of State; and

Whereas, The installation and maintenance of a general information desk would be of great benefit and convenience to the entire citizenship; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, That the Board of Control is hereby directed to arrange for the installation and maintenance within the Capitol Building of a suitable desk for the benefit and convenience of visitors to the Capitol; and be it further

Resolved, That a suitable person be employed, and the Board of Control is hereby directed to employ such person for the purpose of operating and maintaining said information desk, and that such person shall keep said information desk open for the convenience of the citizens of this State during office hours, and at all other times at the discretion and under the direction of the Board of Control.

PATTERSON,  
REED of Dallas,  
LEMENS.

The resolution was read second time.

Mr. Reed of Dallas moved that the resolution be referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Mr. Wood of Harrison moved as a substitute motion that the resolution be referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Question recurring on the substitute motion by Mr. Wood of Harrison, it prevailed.

The motion as substituted was then adopted.

#### TO MEMORIALIZE CONGRESS IN REGARD TO COTTON MANUFACTURING INDUSTRY

Mr. Reed of Dallas offered the following resolution:

H. C. R. No. 65, Memorializing Congress in regard to cotton manufacturing industry.

Whereas, Texas is the chief cotton-producing and cotton-exporting State of the American Union, and cotton is, always has been and should remain the chief crop of this State; and

Whereas, The cotton business in this State as it affects both the man-

ufacturers and producers of cotton is faced with a situation calculated, if continued, to utterly destroy the supremacy long held by this section and to take from this State our greatest money crop, thereby throwing thousands of producers and manufacturers of cotton upon the relief rolls to further burden those who are still able to contribute to the support of the government; and

Whereas, The impending destruction of the cotton manufacturing and cotton growing industry throughout the United States is not only adding to the relief problem, but is seriously impairing the price which the Texas farmer is able to obtain for his crop and is thereby destroying the value of his lands which constitute the home of our people as well as the basis of our wealth; and

Whereas, Manufacturers of cotton in certain foreign lands have been able, through the purchase of cotton in the United States by means of a favorable rate of exchange, and by the mixture of as high as two-thirds foreign growth with American cottons, and through the use of cheap labor largely composed of children toiling long hours seven days a week, to actually import into the United States foreign made textiles and undersell our American cotton manufacturers who are paying for American cotton with American money and spending same under humane and advanced labor conditions and using 100 per cent American cotton, and in the case of Japan these imports of foreign manufacture of textiles have increased from approximately one million square yards of fabric in 1933 to more than twenty-one million square yards in the first two months in 1935, thereby displacing not only American labor but American grown cotton as well, and actually bringing on to the American market textiles containing as much as two-thirds Indian and Brazilian cotton; and

Whereas, The United States has very properly sought to advance the interests of the American farmer and workingman, but has incidentally and necessarily levied certain taxes and promulgated certain regulations in connection with the recovery program of the Administration, which have inevitably added to the cost of American cotton manufacturers and among such practices and regulations is the requirement that American mills pay

the processing tax on all cotton used by them at the time the bales were broken open, although the manufactured product may not be sold for many months or even years later, thereby compelling the mills to carry a burdensome interest charge; and

Whereas, It is believed that the Federal Government could greatly alleviate these conditions and render an invaluable service to the cotton manufacturing and cotton producing industry of Texas and the Nation by so adjusting present regulations as to allow the processing tax to be paid when the processed goods are actually placed in the channels of trade, and by applying such tax to foreign-manufactured textiles as well as domestic, and especially by giving the cotton industry the same protection against foreign-produced cotton as is now extended to other manufacturing industries of the Nation; therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate of Texas, the House of Representatives concurring, That the President of the United States and the Congress be, and they are hereby, requested to take all steps necessary to relieve the cotton manufacturing industry of the unnecessary and unjustifiable interest burden imposed on it by the present method and date of collection of the processing tax, and to allow same to be paid when the processed product is first placed in the channels of trade, and that they make all necessary provision for the collection of a like tax from all textiles sold within the United States, no matter where processed, and, further, that they take immediate steps to provide for the cotton manufacturing and producing industries of this country the same protection against foreign textiles and foreign grown cotton as is provided other industries by means of a tariff sufficient in amount to offset the financial advantage that Japanese and other foreign competitors now enjoy by the use of pauper and child labor for unconscionable hours and coolie wages and by the mixing of foreign-grown cotton with the superior American product; and, be it further

Resolved, That the President be requested to take immediate action to regain our foreign trade through negotiation of reciprocal trade treaties with other nations to the end that our foreign trade may be in some measure restored; and, be it further

Resolved, That both the President

and the Congress be requested to give this matter their immediate attention that action may be had before the basic industry of the South is utterly destroyed by the rapidly approaching disaster now impending; and, be it further

Resolved, That His Excellency, Governor James V. Allred be, and he is hereby, requested to officially deliver this resolution in person, if convenient, to the President of the United States, and to deliver to each of the United States Senators and Representatives from the State of Texas a copy hereof.

Signed—Reed of Dallas, Jones of Falls, Cagle, Collins, Harris of Dallas, Cowley, Colquitt, Hanna.

The resolution was read second time.

On motion of Mr. Pope, the resolution was referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

#### RELATIVE TO COMMITTEE TO INVESTIGATE CERTAIN CORPORATIONS

Mr. Hardin offered the following resolution:

Whereas, Certain corporations are given permits to do business as foreign corporations in this State, and there is one in particular engaged in the dairy products and food products business, which is the Borden's Company, Inc., of New York, and the Borden's Sales Company, Inc., of Delaware, and Borden's Produce Company, Inc., of Nebraska, all of said corporations being holding companies controlling vast numbers of subsidiaries have established in cities and towns of this State subsidiary companies who are now engaged in the dairy products business and in the distribution of food products and many other products, and are, at the present time, conducting a sales campaign from house to house, making every effort to eliminate the retail milk dealer and retail dealers in dairy products and other food products, and are gradually but surely, through their practices which are highly prejudicial to the existing Texas corporation and small dealers engaged in the above styled business and are causing these Texas corporations and small retail dealers every inconvenience they can, and are using their colossal amounts of cash and securities to gradually whip our Texas corporations and small retail dealers and

are using means that are unfair and which the people of our State are unable to cope against, using large foreign corporations with batteries of expensive corporation lawyers, corporation managers and corporation-controlled employes, who dare not raise their voice against their master's whip which drives them on and on until they gradually destroy and place in servitude and peonage the people of our State, and as this is one of the reasons that we now have so many unemployed, and are gradually destroying our small businesses which, in turn, pauperize the home owner and drives him from his home for the reason that he is unable to make sufficient money to pay taxes and other assessments of this State; and

Whereas, Listed among the various subsidiaries owned or controlled by holding companies, the Borden's Sales Company, Inc., of New York, there is a Borden's Produce Company incorporated under the laws of the State of Nebraska, which corporations are, in fact, great financial trusts and monopolies which are strangling and destroying the small independent grocers, dairy product manufacturers, small druggists handling ice cream and other dairy products and other small food manufacturers' establishments and small retailers of food products in the State of Texas. Through monopolistic agreements, setting of prices, they destroy competition and undermine individual efforts and initiative, and as soon as they have destroyed the small Texas-owned stores and industries, raise the price on the distressed consumer of necessary foods, and if these great arms of this octopus are not taken from around the necks of our small businesses and taken out of the pockets of our consumers, everything that we own in the State of Texas will gradually be sucked out and sent back to the home offices, namely, New York City and Wall Street, and will leave our citizens in poverty and distress, and unless such conspiracy and manipulations are prevented and exposed to the people of the State, small Texas residents, business men, individuals and corporations will gradually be taken within the tentacles of this gigantic destroyer of the independent merchant and plain business man and the cost of living to our people will be so greatly increased that they will be unable, unless their pockets are laden with gold,

to meet the charges of these overlords of the chain store business; and

Whereas, By years of experience and immense wealth these foreign trust corporations have created a system even more damaging than the chain store problem and one of which local business men and small corporations can offer no competition. It is now understood that they are beginning to attack through the Federal court, claiming they are not subject to any of the laws of the State of Texas, but are entitled to hide behind the skirts of the Federal courts, drawing our small businesses into expensive Federal litigation where their battery of corporation lawyers can vent their displeasure and spleen upon our corporations which are now permitted to do business under charters issued by the State of Texas; trying to force the State of Texas to let them use whatever name they see fit and refuse to the State of Texas the right to let its citizens incorporate under their own name, although they were given to them at their birth by their parents and should be enabled to try and use said name whenever and wherever they, the State of Texas, see fit to permit them. And if our laws are not so amended that they cannot rush into the Federal courts and destroy our Texas corporations, the State will be unable to sell its privileges to its citizens because it will mean nothing whatsoever to them. The Borden's Sales Company is incorporated with a capital of only \$10,000 and a surplus of \$129,421.27, while their gross assets of \$11,636,939.70 are offset with a total liability of \$11,522,510.47, thus depriving the State of taxation as is charged to our local corporations through schemes that have been nefariously concocted in the minds of corporate-controlled auditors and corporate lawyers who have been paid immense sums to protect these gigantic monopolies carrying on their strangulation of our Texas business. These corporation lawyers stand honored at the bar of Texas, yet they handle such transactions and defeat the rights of the people of the State and we say nothing, while we hold up our hands in holy horror at the criminal lawyer who tries to protect the lives of a poor unfortunate criminal who has only deprived one person of his life while these gigantic monopolists are forcing to the bread lines and a horrible death from starvation

for many and many a citizen of our great commonwealth. And further, we have the Borden's Produce Company, Inc., which is given a permit in our State for dairy and creamery purposes, with a capital of \$3,000,000 and a surplus of \$385,000. It is our information that a great many of these corporations can do \$10,000,000 worth of business in Texas and only pay about \$2,000 tax, although it may have a capital of \$55,000,000 or \$60,000,000 while our small industries are forced to pay a great deal more tax and naturally cannot compete with these monopolistic corporations; and

Whereas, Said gigantic monopolists are escaping their just proportion of taxes when they are receiving great profits and dividends and are better able than some of the smaller corporations and citizens of Texas to pay said taxes while the State, at this time, is in great need of additional funds for taxing purposes; and

Whereas, It is the interest of the dairy products business and the small food distributors of this State to cause an investigation to be made into the business practices of foreign corporations too numerous to be set out herein, who are engaged in the above practices and to investigate further the monopolistic features of this business. Now, while our great President, Franklin Delano Roosevelt, is seeking to investigate these holding companies, it is the duty of this State and this Legislature to investigate these great American milk industries who are known as the \$2,000,000 Goliaths that wait on every dining table in the land. Our small dairies lie prone in the clinic, a sick business, while these octopuses of the milk business are fattening on the distress of our people. It is now time that we let our economic physicians and surgeons examine into and diagnose the trouble and determine whether it requires a major operation. The \$180,000 salaries to its overlords, its fancy profits to a favored few, starvation wages to the man who milks the cow, its rising cost to 600,000 consumers, its seething discontent among producers, its way of eliminating its competitors, its possible monopoly of the State's richest market and its rackets—if any, should be targets for the spotlight of State investigators. Only a few months ago the National Government began its investigation of this monopoly through the United States



and it is up to this Legislature to protect our people by a thorough and practical investigation; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That a committee of five members of the House of Representatives of the State of Texas be appointed by the Speaker of the House to investigate and report within thirty days to the present session of the Legislature on the activities of such trusts and corporations with its recommendations as to the passage of such laws as will properly protect the citizens of Texas, regulate the operation thereof, and with recommendations of systems of taxation thereof, and where necessary, instruct the Attorney General to file suit to forfeit charters or permits to do business in this State, and that any resolution or acts necessary to carry out the recommendations of said committee covered by any resolution offered in pursuance thereof be not required to have been included prior to the time of their introduction in this House in order to effect their precedents or status in passage.

The resolution was read second time.

On motion of Mr. Hardin the resolution was referred to the Committee on Federal Relations.

#### RELATIVE TO "RAY'S SESSION LAWS"

Mr. Reed of Dallas offered the following resolution:

Whereas, "Ray's Advance Session Laws" are published during the Legislature, in order that the laws passed may reach the hands of the members of the Bench and Bar of this State long in advance of the official publication and compilation of the laws and are carefully and accurately edited, and not infrequently cited by the courts of this State as authority; and

Whereas, This publication appears in a series of books as the laws passed and approved by the Governor and filed with the Secretary of State, the first of which, containing all general laws of the first sixty days of this session, is now off the press and has been distributed; and

Whereas, The members of this House are constantly receiving requests from their constituency for copies of laws already passed and the numbers of bills that have been

acted upon by the Governor, their effective dates, etc., all of which information is contained in these advance laws, which are carefully and thoroughly indexed; and

Whereas, Each member of the House should have a copy of these laws for reference in his legislative work and in answering correspondence, etc., and it has been a custom heretofore for the House to subscribe for a copy for each member, not so much for his own benefit as for the benefit of constituents who want information; and

Whereas, Honorable Worth S. Ray, who for the past ten years has devoted much of his time to perfecting his publication and the use of care in compiling same, offers to supply each member of the House with a copy of each issue covering the laws of the Regular Session at the low price of sixty cents (60¢) per copy, not to exceed five copies, three of which will be delivered to members before adjournment, one within seven days after adjournment, and the last one immediately after the Governor has acted upon the bills left upon the desk when the Regular Session adjourns; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the House subscribe for 150 copies of "Ray's Advance Session Laws," one for each member, at the offer made, of sixty cents per copy, to be paid for out of the Contingent Fund of the House, the publisher to send the last two issues by mail postage paid to each member, after adjournment, unless delivered personally.

Signed—Reed of Dallas, Hanna, Alexander, Alsup, Butler of Brazos, Celaya, Colquitt, Collins, Cowley, Daniel, Gibson, Good, Hankamer, Harris of Dallas, Hartzog, Herzik, Hoskins, Hyder, Lindsey, Hardin, Tillery, Nicholson, Bourne, Lange, Clayton, Young, Roberts, McKinney, King, Wells, England, Colson, Palmer, Westfall, Morse, Lotief, Caldwell, Jones of Wise, Bradford, Atchison, Broyles, Bradbury.

The resolution was read second time.

Mr. McCalla offered the following amendment to the resolution:

Amend the resolution so as to provide that each member shall pay for the copies of "Ray's Session Laws" out of his own pocket, and not out

of the House Contingent Expense Fund.

McCALLA,  
KNETSCH.

Mr. Reed of Dallas moved to table the amendment by Mr. McCalla.

The motion to table was lost.

Question recurring on the amendment, it was adopted.

The resolution as amended was then adopted.

#### DESIGNATING TEXAS CONSERVATION AND BEAUTIFICATION WEEK

The Chair laid before the House, for consideration at this time, the following resolution:

S. C. R. No. 28, Relative to Conservation and Beautification Week.

Whereas, At the State Convention of the Texas Federation of Garden Clubs in 1932, a resolution was originated and presented by Mrs. James Luther Mims, the then chairman of the State Conservation and Beautification Board of the Texas Federation of Garden Clubs, and was unanimously adopted, and reads as follows:

"The Texas Federation of Garden Clubs, believing that the native beauty of Texas is so interlinked with the unique history of this State, that it is worthy of protection, appreciation and preservation for future generations, do hereby set aside the week including April 21st (Texas Independence Day) and April 24th (National Wild Flower Day) as Conservation and Beautification Week; also urge the celebration of this week in a manner that will be in keeping with the principles upheld by those who advocate conservation; also the promotion of all types of programs and work that will educate the people to a greater pride in the protection of the native beauty of this State and to a new appreciation of the beautiful symbolisms and legends about our wild flowers and other native flora, insisting that people 'enjoy, do not destroy the wild flowers.'"

Whereas, Said Conservation and Beautification Week was observed by official proclamation of Governor Miriam A. Ferguson in April, 1934, thus establishing its observance of value in the opinion of the then highest authority in the State who gave it this official recognition that was appreciated throughout Texas and was

recognized as a commendable act contributing much of both educational and commercial value to Texas; and

Whereas, All work of permanent value usually comes through the slow process of the education of a people to greater appreciation and interest in things of lasting importance to a country; and

Whereas, Through ignorance, thoughtlessness, lack of vision and the often necessary and swiftly moving progress of civilization much of priceless value of both the historical and natural beauty assets of our State has already been destroyed, depriving Texas of much of inestimable worth, especially at this time, when it could have contributed much to commemoration of the occasion of the Texas Republic Centennial period; and

Whereas, The observance of such a week will contribute to the commemoration of said Texas Centennial and can be considered as an emergency measure for its observance; and

Whereas, It is the sense of the Legislature that it is our duty to encourage the protection and make the most of all of that of historic and scenic worth to Texas that posterity can also benefit from the natural resources, beauty and historical things that we have today and need for the good and happiness of our people and that of generations yet to come; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate of the State of Texas, the House of Representatives concurring, That "Texas Conservation and Beautification Week" be observed each year at that time which shall include April twenty-first, San Jacinto Day, and April twenty-fourth, National Wild Flower Day, said week beginning two days before the twenty-first of April and ending two days after April twenty-fourth, and that said week shall be observed so that it contributes to the conservation and beautification of the State and to the happiness and lasting benefit of its people, thus making known, enforcing and teaching respect for the written and unwritten conservation laws of our country, thus showing our respect and appreciation for all that is ours to cherish while we live and should preserve for posterity here where "the heavens declare the glory of God and the firmament showeth His handiwork."

The resolution was read second time.

Mr. Padgett moved that the resolution be referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Aikin moved, as a substitute motion, that the resolution be referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Question recurring on the substitute motion by Mr. Aikin, it prevailed.

The motion as substituted prevailed.

#### RELATIVE TO COMMITTEE TO STUDY COTTON MARKETING SITUATION

The Chair laid before the House, for consideration at this time, the following resolution:

S. C. R. No. 22, Relative to committee to study cotton marketing, etc.

Whereas, The entire cotton crop of the United States is produced in thirteen Southern States; and

Whereas, The State of Texas and particularly the farmers of the State of Texas are vitally interested in the production and sale of cotton and cotton products; and

Whereas, The general prosperity depends to a great extent on the prosperity of the farmers of the State; and

Whereas, Texas produces practically one-third of the cotton produced in the United States, ninety per cent of which production is exported to foreign countries; and

Whereas, The maintenance of a foreign market affording a fair price for the cotton produced in this State is of vital concern to all of the people of Texas; and

Whereas, Statistics show that from August 1, 1934, to March 1, 1935, the American cotton exports were two million, three hundred twenty thousand (2,321,000) bales less than for the same period of time the year previous; and

Whereas, Statistics show that American gin manufacturing companies, during the year of 1934, sold to foreign cotton growing countries more than five and one-half times as much gin machinery as in any previous year; and

Whereas, The gravity of the cotton export situation is alarming to cotton growing States and the producers of cotton in said States; and

Whereas, A study of the entire agricultural situation in Texas should

be made at this time; be it, therefore

Resolved by the Senate of Texas, the House of Representatives of the State of Texas concurring, That the Lieutenant Governor of Texas appoint five members of the Senate to serve with a committee of five members appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives, in a study of the cotton growing and cotton marketing situation, affecting not only the State of Texas, but the entire Southern States, with the view of making recommendations to the Legislature of Texas, and to the members of Congress from Texas, of any suggested plans and proposals that will remedy the existing conditions; and also to study and make recommendations as to the feasibility of forming a cotton compact with all other cotton producing States in order that not only the State of Texas, but the entire South may be well represented and considered in legislation passed by the Congress of the United States affecting the production of cotton; and also for said committee appointed to study the feasibility of requesting the Legislatures of all cotton producing States to name similar committees to meet with the committee appointed herein in order to formulate similar plans for State legislation as well as National legislation affecting the production and sale of cotton; now, therefore, be it further

Resolved, That said committee shall have power and authority to employ and compensate all necessary employes, and it shall be the duty of said committee to make and keep a record of its investigations; that said committee shall begin and complete its investigation and study at the earliest practicable moment and shall submit a report in writing as soon as possible and not later than the Regular Session of the Forty-fifth Legislature to the Forty-fifth Legislature within thirty days after the convening thereof in Regular Session. The compensation and expenses herein provided for incident to such investigation and study shall be paid out of the appropriation for mileage and per diem and contingent expenses of the Forty-fourth Legislature, upon sworn account of persons entitled to such pay when approved by the chairman of said committee, and sufficient money is hereby appropriated out of the mileage and per diem and Con-

tingent Fund of said Forty-fourth Legislature to meet the payment of expenses of the members of said committee and all necessary employes and other expenses incident to said investigation.

The resolution was read second time.

On motion of Mr. Moffett, the resolution was referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

#### DESIGNATING COWBOY ARTIST OF TEXAS

The Chair laid before the House, for consideration at this time,

H. C. R. No. 48, Designating cowboy artist of Texas;

The resolution having heretofore been read second time, and referred to the Committee on State Affairs;

The Committee on State Affairs having recommended the adoption of the resolution.

Question recurring on the resolution, it was adopted.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 781 ON PASSAGE TO ENGROSSMENT

The Chair laid before the House, as unfinished business, on its passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 781, A bill to be entitled "An Act making appropriations to pay the salaries and wages of officers and employes of the eleemosynary institutions of the State and the Alabama and Coushatti Indians and for other expenses of maintaining and operating them for the two (2) fiscal years beginning September 1, 1935, and ending August 31, 1937, as follows, to-wit: Abilene State Hospital; Alabama and Coushatti Indians; Austin State Hospital; Austin State School; Colored Orphans Home, Gilmer; Confederate Home; Confederate Woman's Home; Deaf, Dumb, and Blind Institute for Colored Youths; Girls' Training School; Home of Dependent and Neglected Children; State Hospital for Crippled and Deformed Children, at Galveston; State Juvenile Training School; State Orphans Home; Rusk State Hospital; San Antonio State Hospital; Galveston State Psychopathic Hospital; Terrell State Hospital; State Tuberculosis Sanatorium; Wichita Falls State Hospital; Texas School for the Blind at Austin; Texas School for the Deaf

at Austin, and declaring an emergency";

The bill having been read second time on yesterday.

On motion of Mr. Leonard, the House, by unanimous consent, agreed to consider the bill, institution by institution.

Mr. Aikin offered the following amendment to the section of the bill relative to the Abilene State Hospital:

Amend House Bill No. 781, page 3, by striking out line 20.

AIKIN,  
JAMES.

Mr. Leonard moved to table the amendment by Mr. Aikin.

The motion to table was lost.

Question recurring on the amendment, it was adopted.

Mr. Lanning offered the following amendment to this section of the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 781, Section 1, page 3, by adding at the close of line 31, immediately following "\$3,000," the following: "Additional salaries if other new buildings granted \$3,400, \$7,756."

LANNING,  
BRADBURY.

On motion of Mr. Leonard, the amendment was tabled.

Mr. Good offered the following amendment to this section of the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 781, page 2, line 5, by striking out the figures "\$500" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "\$300."

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Farmer offered the following amendment to this section of the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 781 as follows: Add the word "meals" after the word "month," in line 30, page 2.

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Patterson offered the following amendment to this section of the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 781, page 2, line 14, by striking out the figures "80," and substituting therefor the figures "82."

On motion of Mr. Leonard, the amendment was tabled.

Mr. Huddleston offered the following amendment to this section of the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 781, page 2, line 37, by changing figures "\$420" to read "\$480."

HUDDLESTON,  
PALMER.

The amendment was adopted.

Question—Shall House Bill No. 781 pass to engrossment?

#### MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,  
Austin, Texas, March 28, 1935.  
Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the  
House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has granted the request of the House for a conference committee to adjust the differences between the two houses on House Bill No. 417.

The following have been appointed on the part of the Senate: Senators Redditt, Pace, Moore, Hopkins, and Small.

Respectfully,  
BOB BARKER,  
Secretary of the Senate.

#### RECESS

On motion of Mr. Alsup, the House, at 12 o'clock m., took recess to 2 o'clock p. m., today.

#### AFTERNOON SESSION

The House met at 2 o'clock p. m., and was called to order by Mr. Morse.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 781 ON PAS- SAGE TO ENGROSSMENT

The House resumed consideration of pending business, same being House Bill No. 781, making certain appropriation for the support of the various State eleemosynary institutions;

The bill having heretofore been read second time; the House having agreed to consider the bill institution by institution, and having under consideration at this time the section of the bill relating to the Abilene State Hospital.

Mr. Broyles offered the following amendment to this section of the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 781 by striking out the two "\$2,000" figures as they appear in line 10, page 2, and substitute "\$1,800" in their places.

BROYLES,  
KNETSCH.

On motion of Mr. Leonard, the amendment was tabled.

Mr. Roane offered the following amendment to this section of the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 781 by striking out line 28 on page 2.

On motion of Mr. Leonard, the amendment was tabled.

Mr. Roane offered the following amendment to this section of the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 781 by striking out line 9 on page 4.

On motion of Mr. Bradbury, the amendment was tabled.

Mr. Good offered the following amendment to the section of the bill relative to the Austin State Hospital:

Amend House Bill No. 781, page 5, line 16, by striking out the figures "\$500" and inserting in lieu thereof "\$300."

Mr. Padgett offered the following substitute for the amendment by Mr. Good:

Substitute for amendment by Mr. Good: Amend House Bill No. 781, line 16, page 5, by striking out "\$500" and insert "\$400."

(Mr. Pope in the Chair.)

Mr. Good moved to table the substitute amendment by Mr. Padgett.

Question recurring on the motion to table, yeas and nays were demanded.

The motion to table prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—60

Adamson	Hankamer
Adkins	Hanna
Aikin	Hardin
Alexander	Harris of Archer
Alsup	Harris of Dallas
Atchison	Hofheinz
Bradford	Hoskins
Broyles	Huddleston
Cagle	Hunt
Collins	Jones of Shelby
Colson	King
Cooper	Knetsch
Cowley	Latham
Craddock	Lemens
Davison of Fisher	Lotief
Dickison	Lucas
Fain	Luker
Farmer	Mauritz
Fox	Moffett
Gibson	Morris
Glass	Nicholson
Good	Olsen
Greathouse	Palmer

Quinn	Steward
Reed of Bowie	Stovall
Riddle	Tarwater
Roark	Venable
Russell	Waggoner
Shofner	Walker
Smith	Wood of Harrison

## Nays—53

Beck	Keefe
Bergman	Lanning
Bradbury	Leath
Burton	Lindsey
Butler of Karnes	McCalla
Canon	McConnell
Celaya	McKinney
Clayton	Moore
Crossley	Morrison
Daniel	Newton
Davis	Padgett
Dunagan	Patterson
Dunlap of Hays	Payne
Fisher	Roane
Ford	Roberts
Head	Rutta
Herzik	Spears
Hodges	Stanfield
Holland	Tennyson
Hyder	Thornton
Jackson	Tillery
James	Wells
Jefferson	Westfall
Jones of Atascosa	Wood of Montague
Jones of Falls	Worley
Jones of Runnels	Youngblood
Jones of Wise	

## Absent

Ash	Hill
Butler of Brazos	Howard
Caldwell	Hunter
Calvert	Lange
Colquitt	Leonard
Davisson	McFarland
of Eastland	McKee
Dunlap of Kleberg	Morse
Duvall	Petsch
Dwyer	Pope
England	Reed of Dallas
Fitzwater	Roach of Angelina
Frazer	Rogers
Fuchs	Scarborough
Graves	Settle
Gray	Stinson
Hartzog	Young

## Absent—Excused

Bourne	Roach of Hunt
Reader	

Mr. Patterson moved to table the amendment by Mr. Good.

The motion to table was lost.

Question recurring on the amendment by Mr. Good, it was adopted.

Mr. Aikin offered the following amendment to this section of the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 781, page 7, by striking out lines 9 and 10.

AIKIN,  
JAMES.

(Mr. Morse in the Chair.)

Mr. Leonard moved to table the amendment by Mr. Aikin.

Question recurring on the motion to table, yeas and nays were demanded.

The motion to table was lost by the following vote:

## Yeas—51

Bergman	Jackson
Calvert	Jefferson
Clayton	Jones of Atascosa
Collins	Jones of Falls
Colquitt	Jones of Wise
Cooper	King
Cowley	Leath
Crossley	Leonard
Daniel	McCalla
Davis	Moore
Davisson	Nicholson
of Eastland	Padgett
Dunlap of Hays	Patterson
Dwyer	Reed of Dallas
England	Riddle
Ford	Roberts
Fox	Russell
Hankamer	Rutta
Harris of Dallas	Smith
Hartzog	Stovall
Hill	Thornton
Hofheinz	Walker
Holland	Wells
Howard	Westfall
Huddleston	Wood of Montague
Hyder	Youngblood

## Nays—65

Adamson	Fain
Adkins	Farmer
Aikin	Fisher
Alexander	Fitzwater
Alsup	Gibson
Ash	Glass
Atchison	Good
Beck	Greathouse
Bradbury	Hanna
Bradford	Hardin
Broyles	Harris of Archer
Burton	Herzik
Butler of Karnes	Hodges
Cagle	Hoskins
Canon	Hunter
Celaya	James
Craddock	Jones of Runnels
Davisson of Fisher	Jones of Shelby
Dunagan	Knetsch

Lanning	Quinn
Latham	Reed of Bowie
Lemens	Roach of Angelina
Lindsey	Roane
Lotief	Roark
Lucas	Shofner
Luker	Steward
Mauritz	Tillery
McConnell	Venable
McKinney	Waggoner
Moffett	Wood of Harrison
Morris	Worley
Olsen	Young
Pope	

## Present—Not Voting

Morrison

Morse

## Absent

Butler of Brazos	McFarland
Caldwell	McKee
Colson	Newton
Dickison	Palmer
Dunlap of Kleberg	Payne
Duvall	Petsch
Frazer	Rogers
Fuchs	Scarborough
Graves	Settle
Gray	Spears
Head	Stanfield
Hunt	Stinson
Keefe	Tarwater
Lange	Tennyson

## Absent—Excused

Bourne	Roach of Hunt
Reader	

Mr. Jones of Atascosa moved the previous question on the pending amendment, and the main question was ordered.

Question recurring on the amendment by Mr. Aikin, yeas and nays were demanded.

The amendment was adopted by the following vote:

## Yeas—64

Adamson	Dwyer
Aikin	Fain
Alexander	Farmer
Alsup	Fisher
Atchison	Fitzwater
Beck	Frazer
Bradbury	Gibson
Bradford	Good
Broyles	Hardin
Burton	Harris of Archer
Butler of Karnes	Harris of Dallas
Cagle	Hodges
Canon	Huddleston
Colson	Hunt
Davis	James
Davison of Fisher	Jones of Runnels

Jones of Shelby	Morris
Knetsch	Newton
Lange	Olsen
Lanning	Palmer
Latham	Pope
Leath	Quinn
Lemens	Reed of Bowie
Lindsey	Reed of Dallas
Lotief	Roane
Lucas	Shofner
Luker	Stanfield
Mauritz	Tarwater
McConnell	Tillery
McKee	Venable
McKinney	Waggoner
Moffett	Wood of Harrison

## Nays—52

Ash	Jones of Wise
Bergman	Keefe
Calvert	King
Clayton	Leonard
Collins	McCalla
Colquitt	Moore
Cooper	Morrison
Cowley	Nicholson
Crossley	Padgett
Daniel	Patterson
Davisson	Payne
of Eastland	Riddle
Dunagan	Roark
Dunlap of Hays	Roberts
England	Russell
Ford	Rutta
Fox	Smith
Hankamer	Steward
Hartzog	Stovall
Hofheinz	Thornton
Holland	Walker
Howard	Wells
Hyder	Westfall
Jackson	Wood of Montague
Jefferson	Worley
Jones of Atascosa	Youngblood
Jones of Falls	

## Absent

Adkins	Herzik
Butler of Brazos	Hill
Caldwell	Hoskins
Celaya	Hunter
Craddock	McFarland
Dickison	Morse
Dunlap of Kleberg	Petsch
Duvall	Roach of Angelina
Fuchs	Rogers
Glass	Scarborough
Graves	Settle
Gray	Spears
Greathouse	Stinson
Hanna	Tennyson
Head	Young

## Absent—Excused

Bourne	Roach of Hunt
Reader	

Mr. Knetsch offered the following amendment to this section of the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 781, page 8, by striking out lines 12 and 13.

KNETSCH,  
AIKIN.

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Palmer offered the following amendment to this section of the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 781, page 6, line 20, changing figures "\$1,260" to read "\$1,440," and change monthly totals accordingly.

PALMER,  
HUDDLESTON.

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Roane offered the following amendment to this section of the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 781, page 8, by striking out line 26.

On motion of Mr. Leonard, the amendment was tabled.

Mr. Farmer offered the following amendment to this section of the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 781 as follows: Change line 17, page 7, to read, "Stenographer (meals), \$900, \$900."

On motion of Mr. Leonard, the amendment was tabled.

Mr. Luker offered the following amendment to this section of the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 781, page 6, lines 13, 14, and 15, to read as follows: "One assistant engineer not exceeding \$643 per year."

On motion of Mr. Leonard, the amendment was tabled.

(Mr. Alexander in the Chair.)

Mr. Good offered the following amendment to the section of the bill relative to the Austin State School:

Amend House Bill No. 781, page 8, line 40, by striking out the figures "\$500" and inserting in lieu thereof "\$300."

The amendment was adopted.

(Mr. Morse in the Chair.)

Mr. Dunagan offered the following amendment to the section of the bill relative to the State Colored Orphans Home, Gilmer:

Amend House Bill No. 781 by adding the following on page 13, between lines 34 and 35: "There is hereby appropriated \$500 for the purpose of purchasing a car for Superintendent

of the State Colored Orphans Home at Gilmer, Texas."

On motion of Mr. Leonard, the amendment was tabled.

Mr. Good offered the following amendment to the section of the bill relative to Texas Confederate Home:

Amend House Bill No. 781, page 14, line 10, by striking out the figures "\$500" and inserting in lieu thereof "\$300."

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Good offered the following amendment to the section of the bill relative to the Confederate Woman's Home:

Amend House Bill No. 781, page 16, line 10, by striking out the figures "\$500" and inserting in lieu thereof "\$300."

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Good offered the following amendment to the section of the bill relative to the Texas Deaf, Dumb, and Blind Institute for Colored Youths:

Amend House Bill No. 781, page 17, line 27, by striking out the figures "\$500" and inserting in lieu thereof "\$300."

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Good offered the following amendment to the section of the bill relative to Galveston State Psychopathic Hospital:

Amend House Bill No. 781, page 19, line 27, by striking out the figures "\$500" and inserting in lieu thereof "\$300."

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Aikin offered the following amendment to this section of the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 781, page 20, by striking out line 22.

AIKIN,  
JAMES.

Mr. Leonard moved to table the amendment by Mr. Aikin.

The motion to table prevailed.

Mr. Good offered the following amendment to the section of the bill relative to Girls' Training School, Gainesville:

Amend House Bill No. 781, page 21, line 31, by striking out the figures "\$500" and inserting in lieu thereof "\$300."

The amendment was adopted.



Mr. Good offered the following amendment to the section of the bill relative to State Home for Depend-ent and Neglected Children, Waco:

Amend House Bill No. 781, page 23, line 35, by striking out the figures "\$500" and inserting in lieu thereof "\$300."

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Jones of Falls offered the following amendment to this section of the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 781, page 24, line 19, by changing the figures "\$36" to read "\$40," and changing the totals to conform.

JONES of Falls,  
CAGLE,  
HUDDLESTON,  
FORD.

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Good offered the following amendment to the section of the bill relative to the State Juvenile Training School:

Amend House Bill No. 781, page 26, line 38, by striking out the figures "\$500" and inserting in lieu thereof "\$300."

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Good offered the following amendment to the section of the bill relative to State Orphans' Home, Corsicana:

Amend House Bill No. 781, page 28, line 36, by striking out the figures "\$500" and inserting in lieu thereof "\$300."

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Good offered the following amendment to the section of the bill relative to Rusk State Hospital:

Amend House Bill No. 781, page 31, line 37, by striking out the figures "\$500" and inserting in lieu thereof "\$300."

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Leonard offered the following amendment to this section of the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 781 by adding in line 33, page 34, the character and word "residence" after the word "residence."

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Aikin offered the following amendment to this section of the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 781, page 34, by striking out line 5.

AIKIN,  
JAMES.

Mr. Leonard moved to table the amendment by Mr. Aikin.

Question recurring on the motion to table, yeas and nays were demanded.

The motion to table prevailed by the following vote:

#### Yeas—71

Caldwell	Jones of Wise
Calvert	Keefe
Clayton	King
Collins	Lange
Colquitt	Lanning
Colson	Leath
Cooper	Leonard
Cowley	Luker
Crossley	McCalla
Daniel	McFarland
Davis	McKee
Davisson	McKinney
of Eastland	Moore
Dickison	Morrison
Dunagan	Nicholson
Dunlap of Hays	Padgett
England	Patterson
Fisher	Payne
Ford	Reed of Dallas
Fox	Riddle
Fuchs	Roark
Hankamer	Roberts
Harris of Dallas	Russell
Head	Rutta
Herzik	Settle
Hill	Smith
Hofheinz	Spears
Holland	Steward
Howard	Stovall
Huddleston	Tennyson
Hyder	Thornton
Jackson	Tillery
Jefferson	Walker
Jones of Atascosa	Wells
Jones of Falls	Westfall
Jones of Runnels	Worley

#### Nays—52

Adamson	Good
Adkins	Greathouse
Aikin	Harris of Archer
Alsup	Hartzog
Bradbury	Hodges
Bradford	Hoskins
Broyles	Hunt
Burton	Hunter
Butler of Karnes	James
Cagle	Jones of Shelby
Canon	Latham
Craddock	Lindsey
Fain	Lotief
Farmer	Lucas
Fitzwater	Mauritz
Frazer	McConnell
Gibson	Moffett
Glass	Morris

Newton	Stinson
Olsen	Tarwater
Palmer	Venable
Pope	Waggoner
Reed of Bowie	Wood of Harrison
Roach of Angelina	Wood of Montague
Roane	Young
Shofner	Youngblood

## Absent

Alexander	Gray
Ash	Hanna
Atchison	Hardin
Beck	Knetsch
Bergman	Lemens
Butler of Brazos	Morse
Celaya	Petsch
Davison of Fisher	Quinn
Dunlap of Kleberg	Rogers
Duvall	Scarborough
Dwyer	Stanfield
Graves	

## Absent—Excused

Bourne	Roach of Hunt
Reader	

Mr. Good offered the following amendment to the section of the bill relative to San Antonio State Hospital:

Amend House Bill No. 781, page 35, line 17, by striking out the figures "\$500" and inserting in lieu thereof "\$300."

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Aikin offered the following amendment to this section of the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 781, page 37, by striking out lines 14 and 15.

Mr. Leonard moved to table the amendment by Mr. Aikin.

Question recurring on the motion to table, yeas and nays were demanded.

The motion to table prevailed by the following vote:

## Yeas—70

Calvert	England
Clayton	Fisher
Collins	Ford
Colquitt	Fox
Colson	Glass
Cooper	Hankamer
Cowley	Harris of Dallas
Crossley	Head
Daniel	Hill
Davisson	Hofheinz
of Eastland	Holland
Dickison	Hoskins
Dunagan	Howard
Dunlap of Hays	Huddleston

Hyder	Patterson
Jackson	Payne
Jones of Atascosa	Reed of Dallas
Jones of Falls	Riddle
Jones of Runnels	Roark
Jones of Wise	Roberts
Keefe	Russell
King	Rutta
Lange	Settle
Lanning	Smith
Leath	Spears
Leonard	Stinson
Luker	Stovall
McCalla	Tennyson
McFarland	Thornton
McKee	Tillery
McKinney	Walker
Moore	Wells
Morrison	Westfall
Nicholson	Worley
Padgett	Youngblood
Palmer	

## Nays—47

Adamson	Latham
Aikin	Lindsey
Bradford	Lotief
Broyles	Lucas
Burton	Mauritz
Butler of Karnes	McConnell
Cagle	Moffett
Canon	Morris
Craddock	Newton
Davis	Olsen
Fain	Pope
Farmer	Quinn
Fitzwater	Reed of Bowie
Frazer	Roach of Angelina
Gibson	Roane
Good	Shofner
Greathouse	Steward
Harris of Archer	Tarwater
Hodges	Venable
Hunt	Waggoner
Hunter	Wood of Harrison
James	Wood of Montague
Jones of Shelby	Young
Knetsch	

## Absent

Adkins	Fuchs
Alexander	Graves
Alsup	Gray
Ash	Hanna
Atchison	Hardin
Beck	Hartzog
Bergman	Herzik
Bradbury	Jefferson
Butler of Brazos	Lemens
Caldwell	Morse
Celaya	Petsch
Davison of Fisher	Rogers
Dunlap of Kleberg	Scarborough
Duvall	Stanfield
Dwyer	

## Absent—Excused

Bourne	Roach of Hunt
Reader	

Mr. Good offered the following amendment to the section of the bill relative to Terrell State Hospital:

Amend House Bill No. 781, page 38, line 39, by striking out the figures "\$500" and inserting in lieu thereof "\$300."

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Aikin offered the following amendment to this section of the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 781, page 40, by striking out line 33.

Mr. Leonard moved to table the amendment by Mr. Aikin.

Question recurring on the motion to table, yeas and nays were demanded.

The motion to table prevailed by the following vote:

#### Yeas—71

Adamson	Jones of Wise
Bergman	Keefe
Calvert	King
Clayton	Lange
Collins	Lanning
Colquitt	Leath
Colson	Leonard
Cooper	Luker
Cowley	McCalla
Crossley	McFarland
Daniel	McKinney
Davisson	Moore
of Eastland	Morrison
Dickison	Nicholson
Dunlap of Hays	Padgett
Fisher	Patterson
Ford	Payne
Fox	Reed of Dallas
Frazer	Riddle
Fuchs	Roark
Glass	Roberts
Harris of Dallas	Russell
Hartzog	Rutta
Head	Settle
Hill	Smith
Hofheinz	Spears
Holland	Stanfield
Hoskins	Stinson
Howard	Stovall
Huddleston	Tennyson
Hyder	Thornton
Jackson	Walker
Jefferson	Wells
Jones of Atascosa	Westfall
Jones of Falls	Wood of Montague
Jones of Runnels	Worley

#### Nays—49

Aikin	Broyles
Beck	Burton
Bradbury	Butler of Karnes
Bradford	Cagle

Canon	Lotief
Celaya	Lucas
Craddock	Mauritz
Davis	McConnell
Dunagan	Moffett
England	Morris
Fain	Newton
Farmer	Olsen
Fitzwater	Palmer
Gibson	Pope
Good	Reed of Bowie
Greathouse	Roach of Angelina
Harris of Archer	Roane
Hodges	Shofner
Hunt	Steward
Hunter	Venable
James	Waggoner
Jones of Shelby	Wood of Harrison
Knetsch	Young
Latham	Youngblood
Lindsey	

#### Absent

Adkins	Hankamer
Alexander	Hanna
Alsup	Hardin
Ash	Herzik
Atchison	Lemens
Butler of Brazos	McKee
Caldwell	Morse
Davison of Fisher	Petsch
Dunlap of Kleberg	Quinn
Duvall	Rogers
Dwyer	Scarborough
Graves	Tarwater
Gray	Tillery

#### Absent—Excused

Bourne	Roach of Hunt
Reader	

Mr. Good offered the following amendment to the section of the bill relative to State Tuberculosis Sanatorium:

Amend House Bill No. 781, page 42, line 25, by striking out the figures "\$500" and inserting in lieu thereof "\$300."

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Leonard offered the following amendment to this section of the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 781, page 43, line 35, by striking out amount "\$3,650," second line of totals, and inserting in lieu thereof the amount, "\$360."

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Leonard offered the following amendment to this section of the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 781 by striking out the figures "\$300" in the last column in line 13, page 45, and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "\$100."

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Fisher offered the following amendment to this section of the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 781 by striking out lines 29, 30, and 31, page 45, and inserting in lieu thereof the following for the first year: "Equipment for Laundry: One 42x84 Cascade washer and three presses, \$5,000."

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Good offered the following amendment to the section of the bill relative to Wichita Falls State Hospital:

Amend House Bill No. 781, page 46, line 8, by striking out the figures "\$500" and inserting in lieu thereof "\$300."

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Aikin offered the following amendment to this section of the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 781, page 47, by striking out line 22.

Mr. Leonard moved to table the amendment by Mr. Aikin.

Question recurring on the motion to table, yeas and nays were demanded.

The motion to table prevailed by the following vote:

#### Yeas—66

Bergman	Jones of Atascosa
Caldwell	Jones of Runnels
Calvert	Jones of Wise
Clayton	Keefe
Collins	King
Colquitt	Lanning
Cooper	Leath
Cowley	Leonard
Crossley	Luker
Daniel	McCalla
Davis	McFarland
Davisson	McKee
of Eastland	Moore
Dickison	Morrison
Dunagan	Nicholson
Dunlap of Hays	Padgett
England	Patterson
Fisher	Payne
Ford	Quinn
Fox	Riddle
Harris of Dallas	Roark
Head	Roberts
Hill	Russell
Hofheinz	Rutta
Hoskins	Settle
Howard	Smith
Huddleston	Spears
Hyder	Stinson
Jackson	Stovall
Jefferson	Tennyson

Thornton  
Walker  
Wells  
Westfall

Wood of Montague  
Worley  
Youngblood

#### Nays—52

Adamson	James
Aikin	Jones of Shelby
Alexander	Latham
Alsup	Lemens
Atchison	Lindsey
Beck	Lotief
Bradbury	Lucas
Bradford	Mauritz
Broyles	McConnell
Burton	Moffett
Butler of Karnes	Morris
Cagle	Newton
Canon	Olsen
Celaya	Palmer
Craddock	Pope
Fain	Reed of Bowie
Farmer	Roach of Angelina
Fitzwater	Roane
Frazer	Shofner
Glass	Stanfield
Good	Steward
Hanna	Tarwater
Harris of Archer	Tillery
Hodges	Venable
Hunt	Waggoner
Hunter	Wood of Harrison

#### Absent

Adkins	Hardin
Ash	Hartzog
Butler of Brazos	Herzik
Colson	Holland
Davison of Fisher	Jones of Falls
Dunlap of Kleberg	Knetsch
Duvall	Lange
Dwyer	McKinney
Fuchs	Morse
Gibson	Petsch
Graves	Reed of Dallas
Gray	Rogers
Greathouse	Scarborough
Hankamer	Young

#### Absent—Excused

Bourne	Roach of Hunt
Reader	

Mr. Good offered the following amendment to the section of the bill relative to the Texas School for the Blind:

Amend House Bill No. 781, page 49, line 15, by striking out the figures "\$500" and inserting in lieu thereof "\$300."

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Good offered the following amendment to the section of the bill relative to the Texas School for the Deaf:

Amend House Bill No. 781, page 52, line 12, by striking out the figures "\$500" and inserting in lieu thereof "\$300."

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Lemens offered the following amendment to this section of the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 781, page 52, lines 32 and 33, by striking out said lines and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "Engineer, first assistant and laundryman, with meals, twelve months, \$780."

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Lotief offered the following amendment to the section of the bill relative to State Juvenile Training School, Gatesville:

Amend House Bill No. 781, page 27, line 30, by striking out the words "dog sergeant," and strike out "\$900," and insert in lieu thereof "\$600."

On motion of Mr. Leonard, the amendment was tabled.

Mr. Palmer offered the following amendment to the section of the bill relative to Terrell State Hospital:

Amend House Bill No. 781, page 40, line 8, changing figures "\$35" to read "\$40 per month," and change totals to conform.

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. McFarland offered the following amendment to the section of the bill relative to Terrell State Hospital:

Amend House Bill No. 781 by striking out the figures "\$960" in line 33, page 40, under 1937 column, and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$900."

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Palmer offered the following amendment to the section of the bill relative to Wichita Falls State Hospital:

Amend House Bill No. 781, page 47, line 4: Change figures to "\$40 per month," and change totals to conform.

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. McKee offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 781 by inserting after the words "Traveling expense" in each department appropriation wherever such words appear, the words, "on official business of the State."

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Alsup moved to reconsider the vote by which the amendment by Mr.

Aikin, striking out the provisions for "social service worker," for Abilene State Hospital, was adopted.

Mr. Aikin moved to table the motion to reconsider.

Question recurring on the motion to table, yeas and nays were demanded.

The roll of the House was called, and the vote announced as follows:

Yeas, 65.

Nays, 70.

Mr. Aikin called for a verification of the vote.

The roll of the "yeas" and "nays" was then called, and the verified vote resulted as follows:

#### Yeas—61

Adamson	James
Aikin	Jones of Runnels
Alexander	Jones of Shelby
Atchison	Knetsch
Beck	Latham
Bradbury	Lemens
Bradford	Lindsey
Broyles	Lotief
Burton	Lucas
Butler of Karnes	Mauritz
Cagle	McConnell
Canon	McKee
Craddock	McKinney
Davis	Moffett
Fain	Morris
Farmer	Newton
Fuchs	Olsen
Gibson	Palmer
Glass	Pope
Good	Quinn
Greathouse	Reed of Bowie
Hankamer	Roach of Angelina
Hanna	Roane
Hardin	Shofner
Harris of Archer	Tillery
Herzik	Venable
Hodges	Waggoner
Hoskins	Wood of Harrison
Hunt	Young
Hunter	Youngblood
Hyder	

#### Nays—61

Alsup	Dickison
Bergman	Dunagan
Caldwell	Dunlap of Hays
Calvert	Dwyer
Clayton	Fisher
Collins	Ford
Colquitt	Fox
Cooper	Frazer
Cowley	Harris of Dallas
Crossley	Hartzog
Daniel	Head
Davisson	Hofheinz
of Eastland	Howard

Huddleston	Riddle
Jones of Atascosa	Roark
Jones of Wise	Roberts
Keefe	Rutta
King	Scarborough
Lange	Settle
Lanning	Smith
Leath	Stanfield
Leonard	Steward
Luker	Stinson
McCalla	Stovall
McFarland	Tennyson
Moore	Thornton
Morrison	Walker
Padgett	Wells
Patterson	Westfall
Payne	Wood of Montague
Reed of Dallas	Worley

## Absent

Adkins	Hill
Ash	Holland
Butler of Brazos	Jackson
Celaya	Jefferson
Colson	Jones of Falls
Davison of Fisher	Morse
Dunlap of Kleberg	Nicholson
Duvall	Petsch
England	Rogers
Fitzwater	Russell
Graves	Spears
Gray	Tarwater

## Absent—Excused

Bourne	Roach of Hunt
Reader	

The Chair announced that the motion to table was lost.

Question then recurring on the motion to reconsider the vote by which the amendment by Mr. Aikin was adopted, yeas and nays were demanded.

The motion to reconsider prevailed by the following vote:

## Yeas—71

Adamson	Dunlap of Hays
Alexander	England
Alsup	Fisher
Bergman	Ford
Butler of Brazos	Fox
Cagle	Fuchs
Caldwell	Gibson
Calvert	Glass
Clayton	Hankamer
Collins	Harris of Dallas
Colquitt	Head
Cooper	Herzik
Crossley	Hill
Daniel	Hofheinz
Davisson	Howard
of Eastland	Hyder
Dickison	Jackson
Dunagan	Jones of Atascosa

Jones of Wise	Riddle
Keefe	Roark
King	Roberts
Lange	Russell
Lanning	Rutta
Leath	Smith
Leonard	Steward
Luker	Stinson
McCalla	Stovall
McFarland	Tennyson
McKee	Thornton
Moore	Waggoner
Morrison	Walker
Olsen	Wells
Padgett	Westfall
Patterson	Wood of Montague
Payne	Worley
Petsch	Youngblood

## Nays—50

Aikin	Jones of Shelby
Atchison	Knetsch
Beck	Latham
Bradbury	Lemens
Bradford	Lindsey
Broyles	Lotief
Burton	Lucas
Butler of Karnes	Mauritz
Canon	McConnell
Craddock	McKinney
Fain	Moffett
Farmer	Morris
Fitzwater	Newton
Frazer	Palmer
Good	Pope
Greathouse	Quinn
Hanna	Reed of Bowie
Hardin	Roach of Angelina
Harris of Archer	Roane
Hodges	Shofner
Hoskins	Stanfield
Hunt	Tarwater
Hunter	Venable
James	Wood of Harrison
Jones of Runnels	Young

## Absent

Adkins	Holland
Ash	Huddleston
Celaya	Jefferson
Colson	Jones of Falls
Cowley	Morse
Davis	Nicholson
Davison of Fisher	Reed of Dallas
Dunlap of Kleberg	Rogers
Duvall	Scarborough
Dwyer	Settle
Graves	Spears
Gray	Tillery
Hartzog	

## Absent—Excused

Bourne	Roach of Hunt
Reader	

Mr. Leonard moved to table the amendment by Mr. Aikin.

Question recurring on the motion to table, yeas and nays were demanded.

The motion to table prevailed by the following vote:

## Yeas—70

Bergman	Lanning
Butler of Brazos	Leath
Butler of Karnes	Leonard
Caldwell	Luker
Calvert	McCalla
Clayton	McFarland
Collins	McKee
Colquitt	Moore
Cooper	Morrison
Cowley	Padgett
Crossley	Patterson
Daniel	Payne
Davison of Fisher	Quinn
Davison of Eastland	Reed of Dallas
Dickison	Riddle
Dunagan	Roark
Dunlap of Hays	Roberts
Dunlap of Kleberg	Rutta
England	Scarborough
Fisher	Settle
Ford	Smith
Fox	Stanfield
Fuchs	Steward
Greathouse	Stinson
Hankamer	Stovall
Harris of Dallas	Tarwater
Head	Tennyson
Hofheinz	Thornton
Howard	Tillery
Huddleston	Walker
Hyder	Wells
Jones of Atascosa	Westfall
Jones of Wise	Wood of Montague
Keefe	Worley
King	Youngblood

## Nays—56

Adamson	Gibson
Aikin	Glass
Alexander	Good
Alsup	Hanna
Atchison	Hardin
Beck	Harris of Archer
Bradbury	Herzik
Bradford	Hodges
Broyles	Hoskins
Burton	Hunt
Cagle	Hunter
Canon	James
Craddock	Jones of Runnels
Davis	Jones of Shelby
Fain	Knetsch
Farmer	Latham
Fitzwater	Lemens
Frazer	Lindsey

Lotief  
Lucas  
Mauritz  
McConnell  
McKinney  
Moffett  
Morris  
Newton  
Olsen  
Palmer

Pope  
Reed of Bowie  
Roach of Angelina  
Roane  
Rogers  
Shofner  
Venable  
Waggoner  
Wood of Harrison  
Young

## Absent

Adkins	Holland
Ash	Jackson
Celaya	Jefferson
Colson	Jones of Falls
Duvall	Lange
Dwyer	Morse
Graves	Nicholson
Gray	Petsch
Hartzog	Russell
Hill	Spears

## Absent—Excused

Bourne	Roach of Hunt
Reader	

Question—Shall House Bill No. 781 pass to engrossment?

## MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,

Austin, Texas, March 28, 1935.

Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has adopted the conference committee report on House Bill No. 779 by the following vote: Yeas, 20; nays, 5.

The Senate has passed

H. B. No. 637, A bill to be entitled "An Act validating and approving all acts of the governing bodies of cities and towns of the State of Texas in the issuance and sale of bonds, to aid in financing any undertaking for which a loan or grant has been made by the United States through the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works or other agency of the United States Government, validating such bonds and the tax levies made for the payment of such bonds, and declaring an emergency." (With amendments.)

Respectfully,

BOB BARKER,  
Secretary of the Senate.

## RECESS

Mr. Butler of Brazos moved that the House recess to 9:30 o'clock a. m., tomorrow.

Mr. Jones of Atascosa moved that the House recess to 10 o'clock a. m., tomorrow.

Question first recurring on the motion by Mr. Butler of Brazos, it prevailed, and the House, accordingly, at 5:30 o'clock p. m., took recess to 9:30 o'clock a. m., tomorrow.

## APPENDIX

## STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

The following committees have filed favorable reports on bills and resolutions, as follows:

Constitutional Amendments: House Joint Resolution No. 42, and Senate Joint Resolution No. 24.

Game and Fisheries: Senate Bill No. 324.

Highways and Motor Traffic: House Bill No. 757.

Insurance: House Bill No. 276.

The following committees have filed adverse reports on bills and resolutions, as follows:

Constitutional Amendments: House Joint Resolutions Nos. 25 and 34.

Game and Fisheries: House Bill No. 447.

Revenue and Taxation: House Bills Nos. 655 and 665.

The following committees have filed adverse reports, with minority favorable reports on bill and resolution, as follows:

Constitutional Amendments: House Joint Resolution No. 38.

Highways and Motor Traffic: House Bill No. 695.

## REPORTS OF THE COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSED BILLS

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, March 27, 1935.

Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 521, A bill to be entitled "An Act making better provision for the regulation of the sale and deal-

ings in stocks, bonds, and securities in this State, including any share, stock, treasury stock, stock certificate under a voting trust agreement, collateral trust certificate, pre-organization certificate or receipt, subscription or re-organization certificate, note, bond, debenture, mortgage, certificate or other evidence of indebtedness, any form of commercial paper, certificate in or under a profit sharing or participation agreement, certificate of interest in or under an oil, gas, or mining lease or title, or any certificate or instrument representing or secured by an interest in any or all of the capital, property, assets, profits or earnings of any company, investment contracts, or any other instrument commonly known as a security, whether similar to those herein referred to or not, and providing for the registration of certain persons and companies dealing in securities, this Act being a blue sky law superseding the present blue sky law of this State, etc., and declaring an emergency,"

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly engrossed.

HODGES, Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, March 27, 1935.

Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 266, A bill to be entitled "An Act declaring the policy of the State with reference to the preservation of natural resources and protection of the rights of the owners of gas producing properties; defining certain terms used in this bill; declaring certain corporations to be public service utilities; authorizing the Railroad Commission of Texas to determine whether the supply of gas in any pool is in excess of the reasonable market demand and reasonable demand for gas reserves and authorizing the Commission to restrict the use of gas to light and fuel purposes in all fields where the supply is not in excess of the demand and where the supply is not in excess of the reasonable requirements for reserve purposes, etc., and declaring an emergency,"

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly engrossed.

HODGES, Chairman.



Committee Room,  
Austin, Texas, March 27, 1935.  
Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the  
House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed  
Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 71, A bill to be entitled  
"An Act relating to the licensing of  
motor vehicle operators and to the  
liability of certain persons for negli-  
gence in the operation of motor ve-  
hicles on the public highways, provid-  
ing for issuance of licenses, revocation  
of operator's and chauffeur's licenses  
under certain conditions, forbidding  
driving by persons without licenses,  
providing penalties, etc., and declar-  
ing an emergency,"

Has carefully compared same, and  
finds it correctly engrossed.

HODGES, Chairman.

#### FORTY-FIRST DAY

(Continued)

(Friday, March 29, 1935)

The House met at 9:30 o'clock a. m.,  
and was called to order by Hon. R.  
Emmett Morse.

#### LEAVES OF ABSENCE GRANTED

(By Unanimous Consent)

The following members were  
granted leaves of absence for today,  
on motion of Mr. Jones of Runnels,  
for the purpose of making an official  
trip to inspect certain property in  
Ellis County: Messrs. Stovall, Vena-  
ble, Steward, Lemens, Lindsey and  
Cowley.

Mr. Hartzog was granted leave of  
absence for today, on account of im-  
portant business, on motion of Mr.  
Reed of Dallas.

Mr. Gray was granted leave of ab-  
sence for today, on account of im-  
portant business, on motion of Mr.  
Fox.

Mr. Aikin was granted leave of  
absence for today, on account of the  
death of a very dear friend, on mo-  
tion of Mr. Canon.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 781 ON PASSAGE TO ENGROSSMENT

The Chair laid before the House,  
as pending business, on its passage to  
engrossment,

H. B. No. 781, A bill to be entitled  
"An Act making appropriations to  
pay the salaries and wages of officers  
and employes of the eleemosynary in-  
stitutions of the State and the Ala-  
bama and Coushatti Indians and for  
other expenses of maintaining and  
operating them for the two (2) fiscal  
years beginning September 1, 1935,  
and ending August 31, 1937, as fol-  
lows, to wit: Abilene State Hospital;  
Alabama and Coushatti Indians; Aus-  
tin State Hospital; Austin State  
School; Colored Orphans Home, Gil-  
mer; Confederate Home; Confederate  
Woman's Home; Deaf, Dumb and  
Blind Institute for Colored Youths;  
Girls' Training School; Home of De-  
pendent and Neglected Children;  
State Hospital for Crippled and De-  
formed Children, at Galveston; State  
Juvenile Training School; State Or-  
phans Home; Rusk State Hospital;  
San Antonio State Hospital; Galves-  
ton State Psychopathic Hospital; Ter-  
rell State Hospital; State Tuberculo-  
sis Sanatorium; Wichita Falls State  
Hospital; Texas School for the Blind  
at Austin; Texas School for the Deaf  
at Austin, and declaring an emer-  
gency";

The bill having heretofore been  
read second time.

Mr. Alsup moved to reconsider the  
vote by which the amendment by Mr.  
Aikin, striking out the provisions for  
the "Social Service Worker" of the  
Austin State Hospital was, on yes-  
terday, adopted.

Question recurring on the motion  
to reconsider, yeas and nays were  
demanded.

The roll of the House was called on  
the motion to reconsider, and the vote  
announced as follows:

Yeas—52

Adamson	Head
Adkins	Herzik
Butler of Karnes	Hofheinz
Caldwell	Holland
Calvert	Howard
Clayton	Jackson
Collins	Jones of Falls
Colquitt	Jones of Wise
Crossley	Keefe
Davison of Fisher	King
Dunlap of Hays	Lanning
Dunlap of Kleberg	Luker
England	McCalla
Fain	McFarland
Fisher	Moore
Glass	Morrison
Graves	Padgett